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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed October 26, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks. Submitted herewith is a Petition for an Extension of Time for three months from Jan. 26, 2006 to and including April 26, 2006 together with authorization for the requisite fee.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.